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Molly Dwyer, Clerk of Court
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San Francisco, CA 94119-3939

RE: *In re Nielsen v. Northern District of California*, No. 24-867

Dear Ms. Dwyer:

We respectfully submit this letter to notify the Court that the United States and plaintiffs have agreed in principle to settle the matter in *Wilbur P.G. et al., v. United States*, No. 4:21-cv-04457 (N.D. Cal.), from which this mandamus petition arises. The United States expects the settlement agreement to be finalized in the coming weeks and will promptly alert the court of any material developments concerning the settlement of the underlying action.

Sincerely,

s/ Catherine Padhi
Catherine Padhi

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on July 26, 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing letter with the Clerk of the Court by using the appellate ACMS system. Service has been accomplished via email to the following counsel:

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